Docket No. 87344.1524 Serial No.: 10/621,317 Customer No. 30734

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: | |) | Confirmation No. 2539 |
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| Ashvin D. Desai, et al. | |) | Group Art Unit: 1724 |
| Application No.: 10/621,317 | |) | Examiner: Matthew O. Savage |
| Filed: | July 18, 2003 | | |
| For: | DUPLEX STRAINER | , | |

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Customer Service Window Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension-of-time, to extend the time for response to the non-final Office Action mailed October 17, 2007.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the one-month extension of time fee, large entity of \$120.00 to Deposit Account 50-2036, referencing Docket No. 87344.1524. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-2036.

Respectfully submitted,

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